JOINS Problems

1. Customer Order Summary

Problem: Find all customers and their total number of orders. Include customers who haven't placed any orders yet.

Hint: Use a **LEFT JOIN** between customers and orders.

2. High-Spending Customers

Problem: Identify customers who have spent more than \$5000 in total. Include their customer details and total spending.

Hint: Use an INNER JOIN between customers and orders. Aggregate data using SUM(order_amount).

3. Orders Without Payments

Problem: List all orders that have not received a payment yet. Include the order ID, customer ID, and payment status.

Hint: Use a LEFT JOIN between orders and payments and filter where the payment_id is NULL.

4. Product Sales by Category

Problem: Calculate the total sales for each product category. Include categories even if no products have been sold.

Hint: Use a LEFT JOIN between products and orders.

5. Duplicate Orders

Problem: Find orders where customers have purchased the same product more than once. Include the customer ID, product ID, and the count of such duplicate orders.

Hint: Use a JOIN and a GROUP BY with a HAVING clause.

6. Cross-Selling Analysis

Problem: Identify customers who purchased product A but never purchased product B. Include their details.

Hint: Use a **SELF JOIN** on the orders table, comparing customers' product purchases.

7. Employee Sales Contribution

Problem: Find the total revenue generated by each employee (sales representative). Include employees who have not made any sales.

Hint: Use a LEFT JOIN between employees and orders.

8. Top-Selling Products

Problem: List the top 5 products by total sales (quantity sold and revenue generated). Include their category.

Hint: Use an INNER JOIN between products and orders, aggregate the data, and sort it.

10. Refund Analysis

Problem: Identify all refunded orders, their customers, and the refunded amount. Also, include orders that weren't refunded (with refund amount as 0).

Hint: Use a LEFT JOIN between orders and refunds, and use COALESCE for refund amounts.

Example Table Structure

If needed, these tables can be used for the problems:

- customers (customer_id, customer_name, state)
- orders (order_id, customer_id, order_date, order_amount, product_id, employee_id)
- payments (payment_id, order_id, payment_date, payment_amount)
- products (product_id, product_name, category_id, price)
- categories (category_id, category_name)
- employees (employee_id, employee_name)
- regions (region_id, region_name)
- refunds (refund_id, order_id, refund_amount)